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TOWN OFFICERS FOR 1929

Moderator
OLIVER HOLT

Selectmen
FRED P. RICHARDSON IRA R. BROWN
EDWARD L. CURTIS

Town Treasurer
WALTER B. STEWART

Town Clerk
EDWARD H. SCHMIDT

Road Agents
ELMER M. GUTTERSON ALBERT C. MASON
ERNEST E. ROSS

Patrol Agent
HARRY W. HOLT

Fire Wardens
EDWARD K. WARREN ALBERT C. MASON

Trustees of Cemeteries
HARLAN E. EMERY JOHN P. PROCTOR

Trustees of Public Library
MRS. E. GEO. WARREN K. FRANCIS PUTNAM
FRED A. HOLT

Board of Health
EDWARD K. WARREN and SELECTMEN

Surveyors of Wood and Lumber
WILLIS J. STEPHENSON CHARLES L. PERHAM
JAMES A. G. PUTNAM EDWARD K. WARREN

Supervisors of Checklist
HARRY W. HOLT ERWIN E. CUMMINGS
HARRY B. HERRICK

Trustees of Trust Funds
ELBERT E. BARROW HARLAN E. EMERY
GEORGE W. HADLEY

Auditor
AUSTIN HOLT

Police and Dog Constable
WALLACE A. DOLE

Tax Collector
E. GEORGE WARREN

Overseer of Poor
GEORGE W. EASTMAN

Warrant for Annual Meeting

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Lyndeborough, in the County of Hillsborough in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Lyndeborough on Tuesday, the eleventh day of March next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing; also to choose a delegate to the Constitutional Convention.

2. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the amount of money necessary to secure state aid for the permanent improvement of highways under the law passed at the January session, 1905, to raise additional money if necessary, or act anything thereon.

3. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the repairs of highways and bridges in addition to that required by law.

4. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and apropriate for the J. A. Tarbell library in addition to that required by law.

5. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Memorial Day.

6. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for cutting bushes beside the highway, or act anything thereon.

7. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate $400.00 for the control of pine blister rust

to be spent in cooperation with the state, or act anything thereon.

8. To see if the town will vote to observe Old Home Day, or act anything thereon.

9. To see if the town will vote to buy a truck for the use of the town, or act anything thereon.

10. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

11. To see if the town will vote to allow the Selectmen to distribute inventory blanks at time of taking inventory April 1st.

12. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the amount of money necessary to buy additional fire fighting equipment, or act anything thereon.

13. To see if the town will vote to raise the amount of money necessary to buy a new road machine, or act anything thereon.

14. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year, and make appropriation for the same.

15. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-fourth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and thirty.

FRED P. RICHARDSON,
IRA R. BROWN,
EDWARD L. CURTIS,
Selectmen of Lyndeborough.

Report of Selectmen

For the Year Ending January 31, 1930

INVENTORY, APRIL 1, 1929

Real estate	$648,741 00
Horses, 97	8,798 00
Oxen, 2	250 00
Cows, 254	31,012 00
Neat stock, 19	1,735 00
Hogs, 4	40 00
Sheep, 35	348 00
Fowls, 1843	2,585 00
Vehicles	1,600 00
Wood, lumber etc.	3,500 00
Gasoline pumps and tanks	1,025 00
Stock in trade	12,103 00
Mills and machinery	1,000 00
	$712,747 00
Polls, 242 at $2.00	$484 00
Amount of taxes for all purposes	$20,465 91
Exempt under soldiers' exemption	$7,600 00
Tax rate, $2.80 per hundred	

RECEIPTS

Current Revenue:

1. From local taxes, current year	$18,561 03
2. Property and poll taxes 1928	2,928 71
3. National bank stock tax	25 00
Tax sales redeeemed, including cost and interest	29 12
From State:	
5. For highways:	
(a) For fifth class roads	1,557 36
(b) For state aid maintenance	374 29
(c) For state aid construction	4,902 06

6. Insurance tax	6	00
7. Railroad tax	211	35
8. Savings bank tax	721	64
11. E. K. Warren, posting notices and expenses	7	50
13. Taxes on interest and dividends	218	10
Bounties on hedgehogs	17	20
From Local Sources Except Taxes:		
16. Dog licenses	199	40
19. Rent of halls	72	25
20. Interest on taxes	98	22
26. Permits of registration of motor vehicles, 1929	285	44
27. Permits of registration of motor vehicles, 1930	276	50
28. Received from C. H. Tarbell, refund on state road foreman's bond	14	90
I. R. Brown, refund on state aid money	329	08
E. E. Ross, gas and oil for tractor	31	74
Sale of town histories	21	50
I. R. Brown, overdrawn labor acct. (1928)	1	00
E. M. Gutterson, overdrawn labor acct. ('28)	5	00
Oliver Holt, bal. Old Home Day appro.	1	77
Lafayette Artillery Co., part cost of wiring Citizen's hall	100	00
Rebate of freight on stoves		76
Sale of two stoves		50
Herbert Young, refund on gravel	1	00
School district, for fire extinguishers	45	00
F. P. Richardson, for fire extinguishers	18	75
F. P. Richardson, overdrawn labor acct.	20	00
W. D. Foote, refund on Memorial Day appro.	3	67
E. C. Howe, for use of fire engine	3	00
Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:		
Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	13,000	00
Cash on hand	566	23
Grand Total	$44,655	07

EXPENDITURES

*1.	Town officers' salaries	$709 50
*2.	Town officers' expenses	329 54
3.	Election and registration	6 00
*5.	Expense of halls	507 98
	Protection of Persons & Property:	
6.	Police dept., Wallace A. Dole police	2 00
*7.	Fire dept., E. K. Warren warden	1,837 63
9.	Bounties on hedgehogs	10 20
	Health Department:	
*12.	Returning marriages, births and deaths and recording same	10 00
	Thompson scarlet fever case and measles cases	185 90
	Highways and Bridges:	
*14.	State aid maintenance, state road	1,376 42
16.	Town maintenance, Elmer M. Gutterson, Albert C. Mason, Ernest E. Ross, agents	4,829 34
17.	Street lighting	50 00
*18.	General expense of highway dept.	1,371 14
	Libraries:	
19.	Library appropriation	350 00
	Patriotic Purposes:	
22.	Memorial Day appropriation	100 00
	Recreation:	
24.	Parks and playgrounds	18 22
	Public Service Enterprises:	
*27.	Cemeteries	59 00
	Unclassified:	
	Taxes refunded by town	65 60
29.	Old Home Day appropriation	75 00
	T. B. Edwards, land damage	25 00

	McLane and Davis, counsel fees	35 30
	Ralph W. Davis, Dustin auto case	100 00
	J. J. Haggerty, looking up title	1 00
	Taxes bought by town, including cost and interest	27 62
	Interest:	
34.	Paid on temporary loans	300 07
*35.	Paid on long term notes	142 50
*37.	Paid interest on trust funds	96 25
	Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvement:	
*38.	State aid construction	10,300 00
40.	Town construction	498 14
	Indebtedness:	
44.	Payment on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	10,500 00
	Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:	
50.	Taxes paid to state	1,747 20
51.	Taxes paid to county	1,417 85
53.	Payments to school district	7,098 54
	Total Payments	$44,182 94
	Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1930	472 13
	Grand Total	$44,655 07

*See details of payments

DETAIL STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Detail 1. Salaries:

Selectmen:		
Fred P. Richardson	$144 50	
Ira R. Brown	150 00	
Edward L. Curtis	120 00	
Clerk, Edward H. Schmidt	40 00	
Treasurer, Walter B. Stewart	85 00	
Tax Collector, E. George Warren (year 1929)	100 00	
Tax Collector, E. George Warren (year 1928)	25 00	
Auditor, Austin Holt (year 1929)	15 00	
Overseer Poor, Geo. W. Eastman	25 00	
		$704 50

Detail 2. Officers' Expenses:

Selectmen, cash paid out	$79 99	
Clerk, cash paid out	25 75	
Treasurer, cash paid out	8 00	
E. C. Eastman Co., supplies	24 58	
Printing town reports (1928)	118 72	
Bonds for town officers	60 00	
Tax collector, cash paid out	12 50	
		$329 54

Detail 5. Expense of Halls:

Citizens' Hall

Lighting	$31 83	
Charles E. Cheever, janitor	55 00	
Supplies	3 37	
A. B. Greeley, tuning piano	3 00	
Wiring hall	185 00	
Welding pump handle	75	
Wood	21 00	
Freight on two stoves	4 98	
Insurance on hall	75 00	
		$379 93

Town Hall		
Walter B. Stewart, janitor	$65 00	
Supplies	9 05	
Wood	33 00	
Insurance	21 00	
		$128 05

Detail 7. Fire Department:

E. K. Warren, service as forest fire warden	$15 00	
Northern Pump Co., fire engine	725 00	
Arthur H. Blanchard Co., fire hose, etc.	495 00	
Freight on fire engine	14 21	
Souhegan Auto Co., fire truck	160 00	
Gas, oil, alterations and storage for fire truck	183 14	
Service of Wilton Fire Dept. at W. H. Clark fire	38 20	
Service of Wilton Fire Dept. at T. B. Edwards place	4 58	
Paid E. K. Warren, watching at Clark and Shepard fires	31 25	
Fyr Fyter Co., fire extinguishers	170 25	
		$1837 63

Detail 12. Vital Statistics:

E. H. Schmidt, recording and returning births, marriages and deaths		$10 00
Paid:		
E. K. Warren, Thompson scarlet fever case	32 77	
G. G. Tolford, provisions scarlet fever case	20 72	
A. & P., groceries scarlet fever case	41 99	
C. W. Nelson, milk scarlet fever case	18 30	

Dr. C. E. Rice, medical attendance scarlet fever case	57 00	
W. I. Durgin, Druggist, supplies scarlet fever case	6 90	
C. A. Davis, groceries scarlet fever case	1 22	
Services measles cases at Allie Mason's, M. Eastman's, A. Bullard's, Harry Holt's	7 00	
		$185 90

Detail 14. State Aid Maintenance:

H. W. Holt, patrolman state rd.	1212 42	
State Highway Dept., engineering, tax etc.	1629 96	
I. R. Brown, exp'ded state aid rd.	164 00	
		$3006 38

Detail 18. General Expense of Highway Dept.

Plowing roads, spring and winter of 1929	$115 00	
Gas and oil for tractor	116 23	
Repairs for tractor & road mach.	121 55	
Culverts	257 60	
Labor and material on snow fence and gates	229 60	
W. C. Patterson, repairs to town water trough	6 35	
Painting guide boards, taking down and erecting the same	71 50	
Watering troughs	6 00	
Road agents, sanding and cutt'g brush (winter work)	114 81	
C. D. Files Tractor Co., rent of road machines	300 00	
E. M. Gutterson, material and trucking for railing at F. W. Russell's	32 50	
		$1371 14

Detail 27. Cemeteries:

H. E. Emery, cemetery appro.	$50 00	
H. E. Emery, opening graves	9 00	
		$59 00

Detail 32. Interest on Temporary Loans:

Interest on temporary loans		$300 07

Detail 33. Interest on Long Term Notes:

Congregational Society note	$37 50	
Bessie Hill note	25 00	
Hildreth Charity note	37 50	
John C. Richardson note	12 50	
Susan E. Chenery note	12 50	
Blanch M. Richardson note	6 25	
Beatrice Richardson note	6 25	
George A. Miller note	5 00	
		$142 50

Detail 35. Interest on Trust Funds:

Town literary fund note	$36 25	
Israel Cram fund note	20 00	
Cemetery fund note	40 00	
		$96 25

Detail 36. New Construction:

State aid road:		
Expended by foreman	$9,970 92	
Expended by state	166 29	
Expended from state aid maintenance fund	164 00	
		$10,301 21
Town construction, between E. B. Barrow and Cram place		$498 14

DEMANDS AGAINST THE TOWN

Hildreth Charity fund note	$750 00
Town literary fund note	725 50
Congregational Society note	750 00
Bessie Hill note	500 00

Israel Cram fund note	400 00	
Susan E. Chenery note	250 00	
Blanch M. Richardson note	125 00	
Beatrice Richardson note	125 00	
John C. Richardson note	250 00	
Georgia A. Miller note	100 00	
E. Provo, cemetery fund note	500 00	
B. F. & W. E. Fiske cem. fund note	100 00	
Daniel Proctor cem. fund note	100 00	
Mary Cram Pettengill cemetery fund note	100 00	
Oliver Holt, temp'y loan note	2500 00	
Due E. Geo. Warren, on completing collection	25 00	
Unexpended bal., state road repair fund	20 47	
Bal. due school appropriation	1925 12	
Dog license due school dist.	193 40	
		$9439 49

SUMMARY

Available Means

Cash in treasury Feb. 1, 1930	$472 13	
Due from collector	1869 88	
Due from state aid maintenance fund	13 65	
Town debt Feb. 1, 1929		$3000 32
Town debt Feb. 1, 1930		6439 27
Increase in town debt		$3438 95

Respectfully submitted,

FRED P. RICHARDSON,
IRA R. BROWN,
EDWARD L. CURTIS,
Selectmen of Lyndeboro.

Report of Town Treasurer

For the Year Ending January 31, 1930

Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1929	$566	23
Received from:		
State Treasurer:		
Forestry department	7	50
Highway department	6833	71
Bounties	17	50
Insurance tax	6	00
Railroad tax	211	35
Savings bank tax	721	64
Int. and div. tax	218	10
Temporary loans:		
Oliver Holt	7500	00
Mary E. Holt	5500	00
Taxes—local:		
E. Geo. Warren, Collector:		
1928 account	2999	36
1929 account	18613	60
Redeemed and costs	29	12
E. H. Schmidt, Town Clerk:		
Dog licenses	199	40
Auto fees, 1929 acct.	285	44
Auto fees, 1930 acct.	276	50
Sale of town histories	9	00
Carrie E. Cheever, sale of town histories	12	50
F. P. Richardson, sale of 2 stoves		50
J. E. Dolliver, freight rebate		76
Ernest E. Ross, gas and oil for tractor	31	74
Lafayette Artillery Co., to aid in wiring Citizens' hall	100	00

E. C. Howe, use of fire engine	3 00	
F. P. Richardson, 1 fire exting.	18 75	
School Dist., fire extinguishers	45 00	
Chas. E. Cheever, use of Citizens' hall	20 25	
W. B. Stewart, use town hall	27 00	
Harold Eastman, Q.M., rent of Armory	25 00	
Refunds:		
Ira R. Brown, labor acct. 1928	1 00	
E. M. Gutterson, labor acct. 1928	5 00	
F. P. Richardson, labor acct. '29	20 00	
Herbert Young, gravel	1 00	
Oliver Holt, Old Home Day appr.	1 77	
Wells D. Foote, Memorial Day appr.	3 67	
Ira R. Brown, state aid road appr.	29 08	
Ira R. Brown, selectmen's order No. 397	300 00	
C. H. Tarbell, state aid road foreman's bond	14 90	
Total Reecipts		$44,655 07
Less Selectmen's orders paid		44,182 94
Balance on hand, Feb. 1, 1930		$472 13

Respectfully submited,

WALTER B. STEWART,
Town Treasurer.

Report of Town Clerk

199 automobile taxes	$611 69
Less 199 fees at 25c	49 75
	$561 94
51 male dogs at $2.00	$102 00
8 female dogs at $5.00	40 00
5 female spades at $2.00	10 00
4 breeders' licenses	61 00
	$213 00
Less 68 fees at 20c	13 60
	$199 40
Three histories at $3.00	$9 00

EDWARD H. SCHMIDT,
Town Clerk.

Report of Overseer of the Poor

January 1, 1929 to January 1, 1930

No Town Charges

Aid furnished dependent soldier and family:

A. E. Hill	$546 69	
S. Fraser, doctoring family	38 00	
		$584 69

Robert L. Cummings family:

C. A. Davis	$52 80	
A. & P. Store	9 81	
G. G. Tolford	2 20	
W. S. Tarbell	19 18	
A. H. Young	21 89	
F. P. Richardson, wood	7 00	
D. J. Fraser, rent	9 00	
Harold Eastman, moving & wood	15 00	
G. W. Eastman, expenses	13 75	
		$150 63
Total		$735 32
Received from County to pay same		$735 32

G. W. EASTMAN,
Overseer of Poor.

Report of Tax Collector

1928 List

Amount due town Jan. 31, 1929	$2936 71
Less abatements	8 00
Amount paid town treasurer	$2928 71

1929 List

Amt. submitted collector for collection	$20,465 91
Less abatements	10 00
	$20,455 91
Amount paid town treasurer	18,586 03
Amount due town Feb. 1, 1930	$1,869 88
Amount of interest collected	$98 22
Total amount paid treasurer	$21,612 96

Respectfully submited,

E. GEORGE WARREN,
Tax Collector.

Road Construction

STATE AID MAINTENANCE

H. W. Holt, Patrolman

H. W. Holt, 106½ days at $7	$745 50
Harold Draper, ½ day at $3.50	1 75
C. E. Cheever, 8 days at $3.50	28 00
Lester Stearns, 2 days at $3.50	7 00
James Stearns, 2 days at $3.50	7 00
P. E. Holt, 5 days at $3.50	17 50
A. F. Hutchinson, 4½ days at $3.50	15 75
Chas. Gutterson, 1 day at $3.50	3 50
Geo. Woodward, 1 day at $3.50	3 50
Geo. Douglass, 4½ days at $3.50	15 75
Ernest Ross, 4½ days at $3.50	15 75
Joe Rebidue, 3½ days at $3.50	12 25
D. Packard, 3½ days at $3.50	12 25
Albert Joslin, 3½ days at $3.50	12 25
E. Douglass, 3½ days at $3.50	12 25
R. P. Bishop, 3½ days at $3.50	12 25
H. A. Draper, 4½ days at $3.50	15 75
E. J. Blanchard, 2 days at $3.50	7 00
Rya Brown, 1½ day at $3.50	5 25
H. A. Cheever, 1 day at $3.50	3 50
Jack Rebidue, ½ day at $3.5 0	1 75
M. H. Rebidue, ½ day at $3.50	1 75
E. Gutterson, truck, 2½ days at $10	25 00
C. Gutterson, truck, 2½ days at $10	25 00
C. E. Weston & Son, 2 trucks, 2½ days	50 00
Geo. Woodward, truck, 2½days	25 00
J. A. Putnam, ½ cord slabs	3 50
B. & M. R. R., freight on tar	38 50
W. S. Tarbell, oil and gas	1 13
F. A. Winn, 210 loads sand at 10c	21 00
G. A. Buck, 55 loads sand at 10c	5 50
C. Johnson, 85 loads sand at 10c	8 50

M. Woodward, 17 loads sand at 10c	1 70
Robert Bryant, trucking mixer	5 00
State Highway Dept., roller 2 days	14 00
Guy Robinson, driving roller 2 days	12 00
F. P. Richardson, driving tractor 1 2-3 days	6 67
E. Gutterson, running scraper 1 2-3 days	6 67
E. Howe, repairs to mixer	6 00
	$1212 42

Respectfully submitted,
H. W. HOLT.

REPORT OF STATE ROAD CONSTRUCTION

Dr.

Received from town treasurer	$10,300 00

Cr.

Ira R. Brown, foreman, at $5 per day	$353 38
A. H. Todd, gasolene shovel at $40 per day	1948 84
A. H. Todd, truck, at $20 per day	195 54
A. H. Todd, trucking tile and expense of moving shovel	216 58
F. P. Richardson, tractor operator, at $4 day	190 84
F. P. Richardson, truck, at $10 per day	291 63
E. E. Cummings, truck, at $10 per day	317 21
Geo. Woodward, truck, at $10 per day	248 34
Wm. Dicey, truck, at $10 per day	323 33
C. E. Weston, truck, at $10 per day	87 22
E. C. Howe, truck, at $10 per day	211 67
W. D. Fletcher, truck, at $10 per day	130 55
Ray W. Brown, truck, at $10 per day	65 56
N. J. Quigley, truck, at $10 per day	89 44
Wm. Russell, truck, at $10 per day	45 00
Chas. Gutterson, truck, at $10 per day	232 22
M.L. Rebidue, truck, at $10 per day	263 34
B. T. Bishop, truck, at $20 per day	5 00
Joseph Rebidue, laborer, at $3.50 per day	196 58

Geo. Douglas, laborer, at $3.50 per day	101	70
E. J. Blanchard, laborer, at $3.50 per day	182	59
Robert Cummings, laborer, at $3.50 per day	147	79
A. F. Hutchins, laborer, at $3.50 per day	57	56
Wm. H. Abbott, laborer, at $3.50 per day	121	73
D. W. Packard, laborer, at $3.50 per day	70	39
E. M. Gutterson, laborer, at $3.50 per day	12	45
Ray W. Brown, laborer, at $3.50 per day	44	93
Wm. Richards, laborer, at $3.50 per day	164	71
John Richards, laborer, at $3.50 per day	61	45
L. W. Stearns, laborer, at $3.50 per day	3	50
Lawrence Tighe, laborer, at $3.50 per day	7	00
Henri Sperle, laborer, at $3.50 per day	10	50
Louis Miller, laborer, at $3.50 per day	7	00
John Edwards, laborer, at $3.50 per day	8	17
James Stearns, laborer, at $3.50 per day	3	12
Chas. Cheever, laborer, at $3.50 per day	1	56
Frank Russell, laborer, at $3.50 per day	24	50
W. Lowe, laborer, at $3.50 per day	53	67
Carrol Blanchard, laborer, at $3.50 per day	37	34
Geo. Magoon, laborer, at $3.50 per day	71	94
Donald McCormack, laborer, at $3.50 per day	62	21
W. A. Welch, laborer, at $3.50 per day	30	92
Joseph Perusse, laborer, at $3.50 per day	24	50
Lawrence Paro, laborer, at $3.50 per day	5	64
Wilfred Champaign, laborer, at $3.50 per day	51	14
Kenneth R. Fletcher, laborer, at $3.50	12	45
Everett E. Douglas, laborer, at $3.50	57	75
Karl F. Wheeler, laborer, at $3.50 a day	24	50
Parker Holt, laborer, at $3.50 per day	21	00
Guy Holt, laborer, at $3.50 per day	21	00
Glenwood Howe, laborer, at $3.50 per day	21	00
Roy Rebidue, laborer, at $3.50 per day	17	50
C. G. Hobbs, laborer, at $3.50 per day	7	00
W. D. Fletcher, laborer, at $3.50 per day	50	37
T. B. Edwards, laborer, at $3.50 per day	57	18
Michael Sullivan, laborer, at $3.50 per day	51	14

F. P. Richardson, laborer, at $3.50 per day	7	00
Wm. Dicey, laborer, at $3.50 per day	27	44
E. E. Cummings, laborer, at $3.50 per day	64	98
Geo. Woodward, laborer, at $3.50 per day	45	71
E. C. Howe, laborer, at $3.50 per day	26	84
Chas. Gutterson, laborer, at $3.50 per day	5	07
M. L. Rebidue, laborer, at $3.50 per day	3	11
Geo. Blanchard, laborer, at $3.50 per day	68	25
W. A. Osgood, foreman on cement headers, at $5.50 per day	124	42
G. C. Robinson, gas roller operat, at $6 day	150	96
Standard Oil Co., gas and oil for shovel, tractor and roller	509	80
Wm. O. Mason, drilling and blasting (compressed air driller)	421	39
D. Whiting & Sons, Inc., cement for cement headers	171	00
F. A. Stockley, cement tile pipe	482	07
G. A. Buck, gravel	452	30
Roy E. Burton, gravel	6	80
W. S. Tarbell, lanterns, oil, nails, etc	15	68
P. J. Kennedy, iron bars, picks and drills	8	50
F. W. Clark, dynamite, caps, fuse, etc.	8	20
E. A. French, shovels and pick handles	19	50
Wm. M. Falconer, lumber for cement forms	60	35
C. D. Files Tractor Co., repairs and parts for tractor	60	35
Stanley H. Abbot, chestnut posts	40	00
P. F. Sullivan, blacksmith work	51	83
George H. Carr, gas for roller	4	40
E. C. Howe, parts and repairs to roller	9	05
E. C. Cummings, dynamite and caps	2	15
Ira R. Brown, grade twine, level and rules	2	60
Total	$9970	92
Refunded to town treasurer	329	08
	$10,300	00

Expended by state highway dept. for engineering, inspection, etc.	$166 29
Expended from state aid maintenance fund for use of roller twenty days at $7	140 00
Guy C. Robinson, operating roller 4 das. at $6	24 00
Total expenditures	$10,301 21

Copies of daily reports audited by the State Highway Dept. are on file in the Selectmen's office and may be seen on request.

Respectfully yours,
IRA R. BROWN.

REPORT OF ELMER M. GUTTERSON, Road Agent

Elmer M. Gutterson, 53 days, 5½ hrs. at $4	$214 38
Elmer M. Guterson, team, 13 days at $7	91 00
F. P. Richardson, team, 12 days at $7	84 00
G. T. Hutchinson, team, 4 days, 3 hrs. at $7	30 36
E. M. Gutterson, truck, 28 days, 6 hrs. at $10	286 66
C. E. Gutterson, truck 33 days, 6 hrs. at $10	336 66
F. P. Richardson, truck, 6 hrs. at $10	6 66
Jos. Rebidue, labor, 45 days, 6 hrs. at 3.50	159 86
Ray Bishop, labor, 8 days, 2½ hrs. at 3.50	28 98
Albert Joslin, labor, 15 days, 8½ hrs. at 3.50	55 82
C. E. Gutterson, labor, 8 days, 1½ hrs. at 3.50	28 59
James Stearns,labor, 17 days, 5 hrs. at 3.50	61 47
Jack Edwards, labor, 1 day, 4 hrs. at 3.50	5 06
Donald Packard, labor, 20 das., 4 hrs. at 3.50	71 57
M. H. Rebidue, labor, 6 days, 6 hrs. at 3.50	23 34
Roy Rebidue, labor, 3 days, 4 hrs. at 3.50	12 07
W. H. Abbott, labor, 2 days, 4½ hrs. at 3.50	8 75
Irving White, labor, 2 days, 2½ hrs. at 3.50	7 98
Calvin Hutchinson, labor, 7 days, 5 hrs. at 3.50	26 47
H. E. Draper, labor, 13 days, 6 hrs. at 3.50	47 84
E. L. Curtis, labor, 9 days, 7½ hrs. at 3.50	34 43

Henri Spenle, labor, 3 days, 4½ hrs. at 3.50	12	25
Philip Nelson, labor, 5 days, 4½ hrs. at 3.50	19	25
W. A. Welch, labor, 1 day 4½ hrs. at 3.50	5	25
Prentis Nye, labor, 3 days at 3.50	10	50
J. R. Holt, labor, 1 day at 3.50	3	50
F. P. Richardson, driving tractor, 6 days 2½ hrs. at $4	25	10
Wilton Motor Sales, oil for tractor	4	25
N. J. Quigley, gas for tractor	13	20
E. H. Putnam, 386 loads of gravel at 10c	38	60
I. B. Curtis, 326 loads of gravel at 10c	32	60
F. W. Clark, dynamite, caps and fuse	8	70
P. F. Sullivan, repairing drag and sharpening tools	5	34
	$1800	49
Amount received from town on 1928 acct.	3	50
	$1803	99

The above account includes $30.99 expended for cutting bushes, $436.17 state aid for 5th class roads. Also includes $21.29 expended cutting trees and sanding roads.

Respectfully submitted,
ELMER M. GUTTERSON.

REPORT OF A. C. MASON, ROAD AGENT

A. C. Mason, 64 days at $7.50	$480	00
A. C. Mason, 26 days at $4	104	00
F. P. Richardson, 36 days at $7	252	00
Bernard Mason, 49½ days at $3.50	173	25
W. A. Nichols, 51 days at $3.50	178	50
E. E. Cummings, 2 days at $3.50	7	00
Wallace Dole, 4½ days at $3.50	15	75
Geo. Douglas, 16 days at $3.50	56	00
Alfred Stearns, 1-horse team, 3 days at $5.25	15	75

Frank Stearns, 1½ days at $3.50	5 25
Hiram Stearns, 1½ days at $3.50	5 25
F. P. Richardson, truck ½ day at $10	5 00
F. P. Richardson, trucking culverts	1 50
W. S. Tarbell, oil, axle grease, bolts	89
Herbert Cheever, repairs on road drag	75
F. W. Clark, caps, dynamite and fuse	2 28
A. C. Mason, 10 loads gravel at 10c	1 00
Chas. Smith, 13 loads gravel at 10c	1 30
Percy Putnam, 73 loads gravel at 10c	7 30
Ray Bishop, 138 loads gravel at 10c	13 80
Geo. Douglas, 3 loads gravel at 10c	30
W. A. Nichols, 4 loads gravel at 10c	40
E. J. Stephenson, 13 loads gravel at 10c	1 30
Geo. Wentworth, 10 loads gravel at 10c	1 00
E. E. Rogers, 22 loads gravel at 10c	2 20
	$1331 77

Cutting Bushes:

Frank Stearns, 23 days at $3.50	80 50
A. W. Nichols, 12½ days at $3.50	43 75
Alfred Stearns, 12 days at $3.50	42 00
Hiram Stearns, 5 days at $3.50	17 50
A. C. Mason, ½ day at $4	2 00
Bush Money	$185 75
Highway and Bridges	1331 77
Grand Total (overdrawn 2c)	$1517 52

Received from Town Treasurer, $1500.02

Received of Herbert Young, $17.50, for cutting bushes

Respectfully submitted,

A. C. MASON.

TOWN ROADS

Report of Ernest E. Ross, Road Agent

Ernest E. Ross, 54 days, 5 hrs. at $4	$218 23
H. Albright, 1 day at $3.50	3 50
Wm. H. Abbott, 21 days at $3.50	73 50
Ray Bishop, 5 days at $3.50	17 50
Ira Brown, 11½ days on tractor at $4	46 00
Georgia A. Buck, 63 loads gravel at 10c	6 30
Charles Cheever, 3½ days at $3.50	12 25
F. W. Clark, dynamite, fuse and caps	19 00
Geo. Douglas, 26 days at $3.50	91 00
Geo. Douglas, 12 days on scraper at $4	48 00
Thomas Edwards, 9 days at $3.50	31 50
Chas. Gutterson, with truck, 2 days at $10	20 00
A. F. Hutchins, 13 days at $3.50	45 50
C. M. G. Johnson, 20 loads of gravel at 10c	2 00
Donald Packard, 11 days at $3.50	38 50
Percy Putnam, 128 loads of gravel at 10c	12 80
John Spaulding, with team, 24 days at $7	168 00
John Spalding, with 3-horse team, 3 days at $8.75	26 25
Frank Winn, 10 loads of gravel at 10c	1 00
Geo. Woodward, with truck, 11½ days at $10	115 00
Geo. Woodward, 16 days at $3.50	56 00
Town of Lyndeboro, gas and oil for tractor	31 74
	$1083 57

Cram Road Detour

Ernest E. Ross, 7½ days at $4	30 00
Ira Brown, 6½ days on tractor at $4	26 00
Ira Brown, 8 hours at $3.50	3 12
F. W. Clark, dynamite, fuse and caps	10 19
Erwin E. Cummings, with truck, 2 days at $10	20 00
Wm. Dicey, with truck, 3 days at $10	30 00
Geo. Douglas, 4 days at $3.50	14 00

Geo. Douglas, 3½ days on scraper at $4	14 00
Guy Holt, 4 days at $3.50	14 00
Glen Howe, 4 days at $3.50	14 00
Percy Putnam, 210 loads of gravel at 10c	21 00
Joseph Rebidue, 6½ days at $3.50	22 75
Roy Rebidue, 5 days at $3.50	17 50
F. P. Richardson, with team, 3 days at $7	21 00
F. P. Richardson, with truck, 1 day, 8 hrs. at $10	18 89
James Stearns, with truck, 4 days at $10	40 00
Karl Wheeler, 5 days at $3.50	17 50
Kenneth Wheeler, 5 days at $3.50	17 50
Wm. Welch, 2 days at $3.50	7 00
	$358 45

Cutting Brush

Ernest E. Ross, 10½ days, 7 hrs. at $4	$45 08
Ira Brown, ½ day at $3.50	1 75
Roy E. Burton, 12 days at $3.50	42 00
George Douglas, 4 days at $3.5 0	14 00
Joseph Rebidue, ½day at $3.50	1 75
	$104 58

Respectfully submitted,

ERNEST E. ROSS.

REPORT OF WIDENING ROAD BETWEEN BARROWS' AND CRAM'S

E. L. Curtis, 14 days, 5½ hrs. at $4	$58 42
E. L. Curtis, 2½ days at $3.50	8 75
C. E. Gutterson, truck, 3 days, 1 hr. at $10	31 11
C. E. Gutterson, labor, 5½ days at $3.50	19 27
E. M. Gutterson, team, 11 days, 5½ hrs. at $7	81 29
E. M. Gutterson, truck, 2½ days at $10	25 00
J. R. Holt, labor, 6 days, 8 hrs. at $3.50	24 12

Prentiss Nye, labor, 7 days, 8 hrs. at $3.50	27	62
I. S. White, labor, 4 days at $3.50	14	00
E. G. Curtis, labor, 1 day at $3.50	3	50
Guy Holt, labor, 1 day at $3.50	3	50
Louis Miller, 5 days, 3½ hrs. at $3.50	18	87
Harry Spenle, labor, 5 days, 3½ hrs. at $3.50	18	87
W. O. Mason, drilling and blasting	157	44
H. A. Cheever, sharpening tools	2	15
F. W. Clark, dynamite and fuse	4	23
	$498	14

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD L. CURTIS.

500 feet railing and spikes donated by E. L. Curtis

Report of Cemetery Trustees

For the Year Ending January 31, 1930

Received from treasurer		$ 50 00
Int. from cemetery funds to Jan. 31, 1930		108 87
Bal. due from Mrs. Abbie Clark		8 00
		$166 87
Paid:		
John P. Proctor, care No. cem.	$10 00	
Harry R. Chase, care No. 6 cem.	7 50	
Ira R. Brown, care No. 7 cem.	11 22	
H. E. Emery, care No. 9 cem.	3 00	
H. E. Emery, care Center cem.	17 60	
H. E. Emery, care So. cem.	74 20	
H. E. Emery, care No. 5 cem.	1 80	
		$125 32
Bal. in Trustees' hands Jan. 31, 1930		$41 55

Respectfully submitted,

HARLAN E. EMERY,

Treasurer of Trustees.

Report of Trustees of Trust Funds

For the Year Ending January 31, 1930

	Principal	Interest
Town literary fund, town note	$725 50	$36 27
Israel Cram fund, town note (Int. paid to Schol Dist. Treas.)	400 00	20 00
E. Provo fund, town note	500 00	25 00
Daniel Proctor fund, town note	100 00	5 00
B. F. & W. E. Fiske fund, town note	100 00	5 00
Mary Cram Pettengill fund, town note	100 00	5 00
Jos. A. Tarbell fund, Liberty bond	50 00	2 12
Clintie M. Duncklee fund, Liberty bond	100 00	4 25
Belle L. Boutwell fund, Lib. bond	100 00	4 25
Frank E. Cummings fund, Lib. bond	100 00	4 25
Bradford & Emery fund, Lib, bond	150 00	6 38
Jennie Rose fund, Savings Dept., Souhegan National Bank	100 00	4 00
Edgar A. Danforth fund, Savings Dept., Souhegan Nat'l Bank	100 00	4 00
Wm. H. Bowen fund, Savings Dept. Souhegan National Bank	100 00	4 00
Potter & Emery fund, Savings Dept., Souhegan Nat'l Bank	100 00	4 00
Mrs. E. B. Barrow fund, Savings Dept., Souhegan Nat'l Bank	50 00	2 00
Walter E. Chamberlin fund, Savings Dept., Souhegan Bank	200 00	8 00
Mrs. Wm. F. Field fund, Savings Dept., Souhegan Nat'l Bank	50 00	2 00
David E. Proctor fund, Savings Dept., Souhegan Nat'l Bank	100 00	4 00
Daniel Cragin fund, Savings Dept., Souhegan Nat'l Bank	50 00	2 00

Hartwell M. Stephenson fund, Sav. Dept. Souhegan Bank	100 00	4 00
Ida B. Woodward fund, Savings Dept., Souhegan Nat'l Bank	100 00	4 00
Josephine M. Woodward, Savings Dept., Souhegan Nat'l Bank	100 00	3 72
Chas. M. Livermore, Savings Dept., Souhegan Nat'l Bank	100 00	1 00
Balance from buying above bonds in Savings Dept., Souhegan Nat'l Bank	22 94	90
(Int. paid to Cemetery Trustees)		
Belle L. Boutwell fund, Lib. bond	200 00	8 50
Amount in Savings Dept., Souhegan National Bank	22 71	90
(Int. paid to Trustees of Tarbell Library for the purchase of books)		

Respectfully submitted,

ELBERT BARROW,
HARLAN E. EMERY,
GEORGE W. HADLEY.

Old Home Day Report

For the Year 1929

Received from town		$75 00
Payments		
Industrial School Band	$25 00	
Speaker's exp., H. S. Bridges	7 00	
Miss O. Clark, reader	8 00	
Prizes	9 00	
Baseballs	1 50	
Invitations, posters & postage	10 13	
Dinner to band	8 30	
Ice cream	3 55	
Telephone	75	
		$73 23
Balance returned to town treasurer		$1 77

OLIVER HOLT.

Memorial Day Report

Received from town		$100 00
Paid:		
Band, Warren C. Boutwell	$70 00	
Speaker, M. F. Devine	15 00	
Flags, Boston Regalia Co.	9 92	
Express on flags	63	
Postage, telephone, etc.	78	
		$96 33
Balance returned to town		$3 67

WELLS D. FOOTE,
Committee.

Lyndeborough Public Library

REPORT OF TREASURER

For the Year Ending January 31, 1930

Receipts

Balance on hand	$42 05	
Received from town	350 00	
Received from fines, books and papers	10 31	
Received from sale of lawn mower	1 50	
Received from sale of lamps	5 50	
Received from trust funds	9 40	
		$418 76

Payments

Maude M. Eastman, librarian	$80 00	
Cost of fire wood	25 00	
Books	69 10	
Cleaning library	12 00	
E. George Warren, repairs	12 80	
O. A. Wheeler, care of lawn	14 50	
W. S. Tarbell, bill	86	
Shoveling snow on walk	90	
Supplies	3 77	
Insurance	20 94	
Sub. to magazines	6 00	
Paid on new furnace	130 00	
		$375 87
Balance on hand January 31, 1930		$42 89

Respectfully submitted,

K. FRANCES PUTNAM,

Treasurer.

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

Total circulation	2131
Fiction	1444
Juvenile	431
Magazines	82
General	174

I am pleased to see an increase in circulation during the past year, but I would be very glad if the rest of the townspeople would avail themselves of our fine collection of books and magazines.

Fifty-three books have been added during the year; nine given by Mrs. Sewell Bracket, two by Miss Harrington, two by Leslie Eastman and two by Louise Eastman, and thirty-eight bought by the town.

The reading room has a very fine collection of magazines, the National Geographic being given by the Improvement Society, Better Homes and American Boy by Annie S. Holt, Review of Reviews by K. F. Putnam, the Christian Leader by M. M. Eastman, the Watchman-Examiner by Clintie Emery, the American and Ladies' Home Journal by Mrs. William Hatt, St. Nicholas by Charles Whiting, and the Literary Digest, Scholastic and Granite Monthly bought by the town.

A new furnace provides adequate heat, and so makes library day more enjoyable.

The floor received a coat of varnish in the spring, but owing to the lack of a suitable rug at the door, one would never suspect the fact at this time.

The card catalogue should be gone over and brought up to date, removing cards of discarded books, and adding cards for those acquired during the last three years. This would necessitate closing the library long enough to check up the books with the card catalogue, and then the new cards could

be added. As it is, many of the books on the cards cannot be found on the shelves, and a good deal of time is wasted hunting for them.

MAUDE M. EASTMAN,
Librarian.

New Books Added During the Year

Bailey, Temple	Burning Beauty
Baldwin, Faith	The Incredible Year
Brown, K. H.	The Father
Browne, Lewis	The Graphic Bible
Burbacher, A. R.	The Volume Library
Burnett, F. H.	The Shuttle
Burnett, F. H.	The Lost Prince
Byrne, Don	Field of Honor
Cather, K. D.	Girlhood Stories of Famous Women
Cobb, Irving	Red Likker
Coolidge, Calvin	Autobiography
Deeping, Warwick	Roper's Row
De La Roche, M.	Whitoaks of Jalna
Erskine, L. Y.	Renfrew Rides the Sky
Field, Rachel	Little Dog Toby
Frost, Robert	New Hampshire
Gibbs, George	The Splendid Outcast
Grey, Zane.	Wild Horse Mesa
Grey, Zane	Fighting Caravans
Guest Edgar	Harbor Lights of Home
Hancock, H. I.	The Motor Boat Club and the Wireless
Hanshew, M. E. and T. W.	The Riddle of the Mysterious Light
Hurst Fanny	Procession
Hurst, Fanny.	Five and Ten
Kyne, P. B.	Never the Twain Shall Meet
Lincoln, J. C. and Freeman	Blair's Attic
London, Jack	The Sea Wolf

Macgowan, Alice	The Trail of the Little Wagon
Marshall, Edison	The Fish Hawk
Meader, S. W.	Longshanks
Morris, A. T.	The Trouble of Tatters
Morrow H. W.	Splendor of God
Mulholland, C.	Naughty Miss Bunny
Norris, Kathleen	Red Silence
Otis, James	Ruth of Boston
Otis, James	Mary of Plymouth
Parker, Sir Gilbert	The Promised Land
Parkman, M. R.	Heroes of Today
Pedlar, Margaret	The Guarded Halo
Remarque, E. M.	All Quiet on the Western Front
Richmond, Grace	At the South Gate
Richmond, Grace	The Listening Post
Rinehart, M. R.	Two Flights Up
Sherman, Capt. V. T.	The Runaway Balloon
Smith, H. L.	Pollyanna of the Orange Blossoms
Smith, H. L.	Pollyanna's Jewels
Smith, Wallace	Tiger's Mate
Terhune, A. P.	Lad of Sunnybank
Weston, George	Around the World
Widdemer, Margaret	Rhinestones
Wilder, Thornton	The Bridge of San Luis Rey
Williamson, C. N. and A. M.	The Chaperon
Willoughby, Barret	The Trail Eater

REPORT OF AUDITOR

This is to certify that I have examined the reports of the Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Town Clerk, Tax Collector, H. W. Holt (State Aid Maintenance), Ira R. Brown (State Road Construction), Elmer M. Gutterson, A. C. Mason, Ernest E. Ross (Road Agents), E. L. Curtis (Town Construction), Treasurer of Cemetery Trustees, Committee for Old Home Day, Committee for Memorial Day, and Treasurer of Public Library, and find their accounts correctly cast and properly vouched.

AUSTIN HOLT,
Auditor.

Report of School District

SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICERS

Moderator	Fred A. Holt
Clerk	Walter B. Stewart
Treasurer	Ray P. Bishop
Truant Officer	Edward W. Dolliver
School Board	Claribelle Warren
	Maude M. Eastman
	John P. Proctor
Superintendent	Vernon S. Ames

Teachers for 1929-1930

South School	Adelaide C. Herrick
North School	Gretchen A. Smith
Johnson Corner	Helen Perley
Perham Corner	Olga E. Henrickson

SCHOOL CALENDAR

1929-1930. Winter and Spring:	
January 2 to February 14	6½ weeks
February 24 to April 11	7 weeks
April 21 to June 6	7 weeks
1930-1931. Fall Term:	
September 3 to November 25	12 weeks
December 1 to December 19	3 weeks
Winter and Spring:	
January 5 to February 20	7 weeks
March 2 to April 17	7 weeks
April 27 to June 12	7 weeks

FINANCIAL REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD
For Fiscal Year Ending July 1 1929

CURRENT REVENUE

Amount on hand July 1, 1928	$1065 46
Amount received from selectmen	6584 94
Amount received from dog tax	213 60
Amount received from elem. school tuition	108 00
Amount received from trust funds	45 02
Amount received from state aid	1089 60
Amount received from rebates	40 85
Amount received from miscellaneous	1 00
	$9148 47

SUMMARY OF CURRENT EXPENDITURES

Administration:	
Salaries of dist. officers, including treas., auditor, and clerk	$181 50
Supt.'s excess salary	181 82
Truant officer and school census	15 00
Other expenses of administration	91 20
Instruction:	
Teachers' salaries	4082 00
Text books	136 56
Scholars' supplies	105 76
Flags and appurtenances	2 00
Other expenses of instruction	65 52
Operation and Maintenance of School Plant:	
Janitor service	148 00
Fuel	134 50
Janitors' supplies	12 75
Minor repairs and expenses	85 26

Auxiliary Agencies:

Medical inspection	29 92
Transportation of pupils	1114 00
High school tuition	1456 73
Elementary school tuition	72 00
Other special activities	3 28

Outlay for Construction and Equipment:

New equipment	335 50

Other Charges:

Tax for state-wide supervision	144 00
Cash on hand July 1, 1929	751 17

ITEMIZED EXPENDITURES

Administration:

Salaries of District Officers:

E. C. Warren	$40 00	
J. P. Proctor	40 00	
M. M. Eastman	85 00	
R. P. Bishop	12 50	
W. B. Stewart	2 00	
Austin Holt	2 00	
		$181 50

Superintendent's Excess Salary:

A. B. Eaton, treas.		$181 82

Truant Officer and School Census:

M. M. Eastman	$10 00	
E. W. Dolliver	5 00	
		$15 00

Expenses of Administration:

A. B. Eaton, our share office expenses Mr. Ames	$64 00	
W. H. Emerson	95	

J. L. Hammett Co.	1 28	
V. S. Ames	11 47	
E. C. Eastman	35	
Cabinet Press	4 48	
O. A. Wheeler	1 00	
N. J. Quigley	1 00	
R. P. Bishop, postage	6 12	
M. M. Eastman, postage	55	
		$91 20

Instruction:

A. C. Herrick	$92 00	
A. L. White	1008 00	
A. M. Curtis	792 00	
O. E. Henrickson	972 00	
V. B. Call	1008 00	
B. Bowden	210 00	
		$4082 00

Text Books:

Silver Burdett Co.	$37 73	
C. E. Merrill Co.	24 96	
E. E. Babb & Co.	27 95	
J. B. Lippincott Co.	2 81	
W. B. Ranney Co.	7 77	
Houghton Mifflin Co.	12 79	
J. C. Winston	11 32	
The Macmillan Co.	7 48	
American Book Co.	98	
Scott Forsman Co.	2 77	
		$136 56

Scholars' Supplies:

Cho-Seco Ink Pellet Co.	$2 50
W. D. Gilpatric	19 91
Milton Bradley Co.	15 20
J. L. Hammett Co.	16 80
E. E. Babb & Co.	40 30

Iroquois Pub. Co.	4 50	
H. Houston	6 55	
		$105 76

Flags and Appurtenances:

E. C. Warren		$2 00

Other Expenses of Instruction:

H. Houston, our share for teachers' meeting	$2 00	
A. H. Young, crepe paper	5 95	
J. L. Hammett Co.	14 11	
Current Events	13 20	
World Book Co.	13 34	
Ginn & Co.	5 45	
Charles Scribners' Sons	3 62	
Silver Burdett & Co.	1 31	
The Macmillan Co.	1 44	
J. C. Winston Co.	50	
C. H. Tarbell	50	
A. H. Barbour	1 20	
E. C. Warren	1 90	
W. S. Tarbell	1 00	
		$65 52

Janitor Service:

A. L. White	$36 00	
A. M. Curtis	36 00	
O. E. Henrickson	36 00	
J. P. Proctor	36 00	
A. C. Herrick	4 00	
		$148 00

Fuel:

O. Holt	$48 00	
I. R. Brown	24 00	
J. P. Proctor	26 50	
F. P. Richardson	36 00	
		$134 50

Janitors' Supplies

State Workshop for blind	$3 75	
Cheshire Chemical Co.	4 50	
Milton Bradley Co.	4 50	
		$12 75

Minor Repairs and Expenses:

Rose Elliott, cleaning	$5 00	
J. P. Proctor, cleaning & repairs	13 64	
A. M. Carkin, cleaning	6 00	
R. S. Nichols, carting	4 75	
H. E. Emery, cleaning toilet	1 00	
E. K. Warren	15 55	
D. Whiting & Sons	2 51	
E. G. Warren	29 16	
V. S. Ames	15	
R. P. Bishop, cleaning toilet	1 00	
C. W. Bishop, cleaning	6 50	
		$85 26

Transportation of Pupils:

G. W. Eastman	$576 00	
H. B. Herrick	448 00	
School Dist. of Greenfield	90 00	
		$1114 00

Medical Inspection:

W. H. W. Hinds	$26 00	
W. I. Durgin	3 92	
		$29 92

High School Tuition:

Wilton High School	$720 00	
Milford High School	440 00	
Antrim High School	90 00	
New Boston High School	103 00	
Nashua High School	103 73	
		$1456 73

Elementary School Tuition:

School District of Greenfield		$72 00

Other Special Activities:

Draper Maynard Co., footballs		$3 28

New Equipment:

J. P. Proctor, bookcase	$20 00	
J. L. Hammett Co., blackboards	68 21	
Kenny Bros. & Wolkins, seats	124 98	
Milton Bradley & Co.	1 25	
Montgomery Ward Co., stove	40 85	
W. E. Foster, stove	67 40	
E. E. Babb & Co.	12 81	
		$335 50

Other Charges:

Tax for state-wide supervision		$144 00
		$8397 30

Respectfully submitted,

MAUDE M. EASTMAN,

Secretary.

BUDGET FOR 1930-1931

Estimated expenditures for the school year from July 1, 1930, to June 30, 1931, and recommendations of sums to be assessed for the support of schools, including statutory requirements.

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES

Teachers' salaries, including music supervisor	$4100 00	
Text books	100 00	
Scholars' supplies	120 00	
Flags and appurtenances	20 00	
Other expenses of instruction	50 00	
Janitor service	144 00	
Fuel	170 00	
Janitors' supplies	20 00	
Minor repairs and expenses	100 00	
Medical inspection and health	35 00	
Transportation of pupils	1000 00	
		$5859 00

ESTIMATED REVENUE

State aid	$944 28	
Dog tax	200 00	
Elementary school tuitions	108 00	
Income of trust funds	45 00	
Estimated bal. July 1, 1930	300 00	
		$1597 28
		$4261 72
A tax of .005 on the equalized valuation is necessary to qualify for state aid, and this is the amount recommended to be raised by taxation		$4272 02

Additional Sums Recommended to be Raised by Taxation:

For salaries of district officers	$181 50	
For supt.'s excess salary	206 00	
For truant officer and census	15 00	
For expenses of administration	100 00	
For insurance	62 50	
For new equipment	25 00	
For extraordinary repairs	200 00	
For per capita tax (statutory)	150 00	
For high school tuitions (statutory)	2100 00	
		$3040 00
Total sum recommended to be raised by taxation		$7312 02

CLARIBELLE WARREN,
MAUDE M. EASTMAN,
JOHN P. PROCTOR,
School Board

REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

For Year Ending June 30, 1929

Dr.

Cash on hand July 1, 1928	$1065 46	
Cash received from:		
Town treasurer	6798 54	
State equalization fund	1089 60	
Mont Vernon school tuition	108 00	
Trustees of trust funds	45 02	
Refund check from Montgomery Ward Co.	40 85	
Oliver Holt, sale of blackboard	1 00	
		$9148 47

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Paid orders of School Board	$8397 30	
Cash on hand June 30, 1929	751 17	
		$9148 47

Respectfully submited,

RAY P. PISHOP,
Treasurer of School Board.

This is to certify that I have examined the report of the Treasurer of the School District and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

AUSTIN HOLT,
Auditor.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the School Board and Citizens of Lyndeboro:

I submit my seventh annual report as Superintendent of Schools.

School Organization

Miss Henrickson, now teaching her fourth year at Perham Corner, is the only one of last year's teachers on our present staff. However, Mrs. Herrick has returned to the service and is teaching the South School. For the North School we secured Miss Gretchen Smith, a graduate of the Plymouth Normal School last year, and for the Johnson Corner School Miss Helen Perley, a graduate of the Keene Normal School last June. Miss Bowden resigned after three years as music supervisor in the six towns of this Supervisory Union, and Lyndeboro is employing cadets from Keene this year. We hope this is a temporary arrangement, however.

The statistical report following shows an enrollment of 57 pupils last year as compared with 64 the previous year, but an increase to 71 for the current year. Both the South School and the North School are larger than they have been for several years. The per cent of attendance last year was higher than the preceding year and nearly one and one-half per cent above the state average. Attendance this year is about the same as for the corresponding period last year. Tardiness was somewhat higher last year than the year before, especially at the Johnson Corner School. This year tardiness has been reduced to a negligible amount except at Johnson Corner where it has been excessive, but about half of the tardiness this year is chargeable to pupils from one family.

It is ten years since the school law first provided for a standard school of thirty-six weeks. Since 1924

no school in New Hampshire has had less than thirty-six weeks. School enrollment has increased and the per cent of attendance has been raised from 91 to 94.5. Pupils are staying in school longer—85 per cent now complete the eighth grades as compared with 75 per cent ten years ago; 67 per cent enter high school in place of 55 per cent; 43 per cent graduate from high school instead of 31 per cent; 23 per cent continue their schooling beyond high school instead of 11 per cent.

High School enrollment has increased from 12,087 to 16,097, an increase of 33 per cent in ten years, with only five per cent increase in elementary schools.

While every school in the state is open for at least thirty-six weeks, the number of days school is actually in session varied last year from 169 to 187. The average for the state was 177 and this average has been maintained for the past four years. The Lyndeboro schools were in session 176 days last year, a number which was exceeded by 96 towns and equalled by 21 others; 123 towns had fewer school days. Lyndeboro schools were closed two holidays (Labor Day and Memorial Day) and two days for Teachers' Institutes.

Supervision

The division of my time between class room visiting or supervision, and office work does not vary materially from last year, and as usual a considerable part of the office work has to do with the tabulating and interpreting of the scores from standard tests. The Stanford Achievement Tests were continued last year as in former years and the results were in general handled in the same manner as indicated in last year's report.

The standardized test in silent reading mentioned last year was repeated in October 1929 and the

results compared with those obtained a year previous. The class work in silent reading during the year interval between tests laid emphasis upon the particular features in which the first test showed the pupils to be deficient, and the pupils who scored D or E on the first test were given special attention. The results of the second test indicate that our efforts were effecive to a considerable degree, since there were 11 per cent fewer pupils getting scores of D or E than in the first test. This must stand, however, as a record of progress and not of complete attainment of the goal, for there are still at least 8 per cent more pupils getting D's and E's than would be expected in a normal group of pupils.

Besides these two series of tests given for purposes of measurement, several other types of tests are being used frequently by the teachers for diagnostic purposes. An oral reading test is used in the first three grades by means of which the teachers determine from time to time what progress each child is making and in what respect improvement should be made. Similarly two types of language tests are used at intervals through the year to check up on the pupils' progress in mastering the correct use of language forms.

While these standardized tests and many other less formal tests devised by the teachers are useful in certain fields, we must keep constantly in mind the fact that there are many more phases of education that do not yield to such exact measurement, and also the fact that progressive attainment in those phases not readily measured is probably more important in the equipment of our young folks for their future lives than the things we are thus able to measure.

Medical Inspection

Dr. Hinds of Milford made the medical inspection early in October and reports the following:

Number of pupils examined		59
Defective Vision	6	
Cardiac Disease	3	
Orthopedic Defects	1	
Diseased Tonsils	17	
Posture	1	
Defective Hearing	1	
Skin Diseases	2	
Defective Teeth	25	
Enlarged Glands	2	

No record is kept of the corrective work done in response to the notices sent to parents because there is no school nurse.

Finances

So far as the usual items of the budget are concerned there is no material change in the amounts proposed for 1930-1931 from those of previous years, except that high school tuition will require about $300 more than last year because of the fact that there will probably be four more new pupils entering high school next fall than there are in the graduation class at high school this year. It is recommended, however, that the district meeting consider carefully the two following items and the recommendations of the School Board regarding them: First, there has been no insurance carried on the school buildings and the recommendation is made that at least $500 insurance be placed on each of the five buildings; this would cost $62.50 for a three-year term. Second, the Johnson Corner and North schoolhouses should be painted and the sum of $200 is recommended for this purpose.

The support and interest of townspeople, School Board, and teachers is appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

VERNON S. AMES,

Superintendent.

STATISTICS FOR SCHOOL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1929

Census: No. Boys 5-16, 35; Girls 39; Total 74
Attending School in Lyndeboro: Boys 25; Girls 32; Total 57
Elsewhere: Boys 10; Girls 9; Total 19

ENROLLMENT BY GRADES

School	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Tot.
South	2	2	5	4	1	3	2	1	20
Centre	2					1		1	4
North	3	1	2	0	2	0	3	0	11
Johnson Corner		1	1	1	3	1	1	3	11
Perham Corner	1		1	2	1	1	2	3	11
									57

ATTENDANCE

	Average Membership	Average Attendance	Per cent of Attendance	Tardinesses Tot.	Tardinesses Per pupil
South	19.51	18.51	95.0	20	1.00
Centre	3.78	3.75	99.3	0	
North	9.40	9.00	95.8	10	.91
Johnson Corner	10.88	10.65	97.8	20	1.82
Perham Corner	10.94	10.45	95.5	7	.62
	54.51	52.36	96.0	57	1.00
State Averages			94.58		1.08

Visits:

By School Board Members	15
By Superintendent	88
By Citizens	130

STATISTICS FOR FIRST 16 WEEKS OF 1929-1930

Census: Boys (5-16) 33; Girls (5-16) 40; Total 73
Attending school in Lyndeboro: Boys 34; Girls 37; Total 71
Attending school elsewhere: Boys 8; Girls, 14; Total 22

ENROLLMENT BY GRADES

School	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
South	5	3	4	7	5	1	5	2	32
North	4	1	4	3	0	1	0	4	17
Johnson Corner	2	0	3	1	1	3	1	2	13
Perham Corner	2	1	0	0	2	1	1	2	9
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ATTENDANCE

	Average Membership	Average Attendance	Per cent of Attendance	Tardinesses
South	28.73	27.89	97.07	2
North	14.95	14.53	97.86	0
Johnson Corner	13.00	11.53	88.69	23
Perham Corner	9.00	8.71	96.78	1

ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE

Three Terms: Mariette Schmidt, Charlotte Proctor, John Proctor.

Two Terms: Viola Rebidue.

One Term: Marion Cummings, Philip Cummings, Frederick Douglas, Frank Blanchard, Dorothy Draper, Lois Ann Foote, Wells Foote, Elizabeth Holt, Edward Schmidt, Edythe Bright, William Bright, Mary Proctor, James Proctor, Ruth Proctor, Dorothy Brown, Grace Parson, Eleanor Parson, Dorothy Rebidue, Edward Warren, George Clark, Ellen Holt, Ray Hutchinson, Virginia Russell.

Births Registered in the Town of Lyndeborough, N. H. for Year Ending December 31, 1929

Date and Place of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
February 16	Eleanor F.	Charles E. Cheever	Florence Hanson	Lyndeboro	Taunton, Mass.
February 17	Robert W.	Ray W. Brown	Frances Herrick	Lyndeboro	Lyndeboro
May 9	Arthur L.	Arthur L. Edwards	Grace F. Pupkitt	Lyndeboro	Alabama
August 31	William H.	William H. Dicey	Christine Carkin	Wilton	Lyndeboro
September 7	Ada Belle	Warren P. Murdo	Rebecca S. Avery	Hillsboro	Francestown
September 16	Phillip A.	Arthur S. Botsford	Edna M. Sanborn	Milford, Conn.	Bartlett
October 2	Chester E.	George A. Douglas	Ruth Richards	Mont Vernon	Lyndeboro
November 28	Evelyn L.	Langdon W. Stearns	Esther M. Smith	Lyndeboro	Lyndeboro

Deaths Registered in the Town of Lyndeborough, N. H. for the Year Ending December 31, 1929

Date and Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Age			Name of Father	Name of Mother	Place of Birth of Father	Place of Birth of Mother
Jan. 22, Lyndeboro	George W. Steele	70	2	12	William Steele	Adeline Putnam	Searsport, Me.	Lyndeboro
Feb. 28, Nashua	Elizab'th A. Wheeler	41	6	10	Isaiah Miller	Emma Roby		
Feb. 10, Lyndeboro	Charles B. Ogilvie	73	11	16	John Ogilvie	Olive Mekins	Nova Scotia	Nova Scotia
Feb. 10, Lyndeboro	Estella Ogilvie	73	0	3	Andrew McConnell	Caroline Armstrong	Nova Scotia	Nova Scotia
Feb. 18, Nashua	Frances H. Brown	23	8	17	Willie F. Herrick	Lucy Barrett	Lyndeboro	New Bedford, Mass.
Mar. 17, Manchest'r	Anna Parker	75	11	9				
Aug. 29, Lyndeboro	Martha W. Proctor	91	2	26	Levi Fish	Nancy Wilkins	Middleton, Mass.	Middleton, Mass.
Nov. 14, Lyndeboro	Earle M. Thompson	22	6	24	Edmund Thompson	Jessie White	Canada	Canada
Dec. 4, Everett, Ms.	Jennie F. Carkin	71	10	25	William Doe	Eliza Dale		

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Marriages Registered in the Town of Lyndeborough, N. H. for the Year Ending December 31, 1929

Date and Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of marriage	Age	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Name, Residence and official station of person by whom married
April 22	Levi H. Joslin	Lyndeboro	37	Frank H. Joslin Etta M. Stephenson	Greenfield Lyndeboro	William G. Brett Clergyman Lyndeboro
	Grace M. Rogers	Wollaston, Mass.	30	John Rogers Edith Pease	England England	
June 14	William M. Leavitt	Gardner, Me.	24	Fred Leavitt Viola Hamilton	Bowdoin, Me. Bowdoin, Me.	William G. Brett Clergyman Lyndeboro
	Henrietta E. Stearns	Chelmsford, Mass.	23	Lester J. Stearns Erma M. Howe	Chelmsford, Mass. St. Johns, N. B.	
October 19	John H. Edwards	Lyndeboro	21	Richard J. Edwards Mollie E. Hopkins	Baltimore, Md. Baltimore, Md.	Albert L. Hill Minister Wilton
	Georgette L. Miller	Lyndeboro	18	Lewis E. Miller Helen L. Sjenel	France France	

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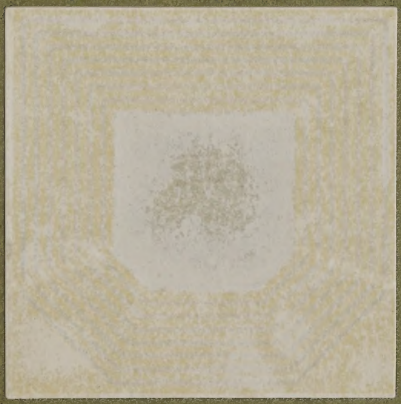

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